

**BEFORE THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE  
CITY OF LAFAYETTE IN THE MATTER OF:**

A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Lafayette	)	Resolution No. 2005-036
Approving the Association of Bay Area Government	)	
("ABAG") <i>Taming Natural Disasters</i> as the	)	
City of Lafayette's Local Hazard Mitigation Plan	)	

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WHEREAS, the Bay Area is subject to various earthquake-related hazards, such as ground shaking, liquefaction, landsliding, fault surface rupture, and tsunamis; and

WHEREAS, the Bay Area is subject to various weather-related hazards including wildfires, floods, and landslides; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lafayette recognizes that disasters do not recognize city, county, or special district boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lafayette seeks to maintain and enhance both a disaster-resistant City and region by reducing the potential loss of life, property damage, and environmental degradation from natural disasters, while accelerating economic recovery from those disasters; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lafayette is committed to increasing the disaster resistance of the infrastructure, health, housing, economy, government services, education, environment, and land use systems in the City as well as in the Bay Area as a whole; and

WHEREAS, the federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 requires all cities, counties, and special districts to have adopted a Local Hazard Mitigation Plan to receive disaster mitigation funding from FEMA; and

WHEREAS, ABAG has approved and adopted the ABAG report *Taming Natural Disasters* as the multi-jurisdictional Local Hazard Mitigation Plan for the San Francisco Bay Area; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Lafayette that it adopts, and adapts with its local annex, this multi-jurisdictional plan as its Local Hazard Mitigation Plan.

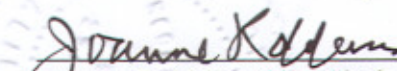
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council commits to continuing to take those actions and initiating further actions, as appropriate, as identified in the Lafayette Annex of that multi-jurisdictional Local Hazard Mitigation Plan.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the City Council this 11<sup>th</sup> day of July 2005, by the following vote to wit:

AYES: Anduri, Tatzin, Federighi, Anderson  
NOES: None  
ABSTAIN: None  
ABSENT: Samson

  
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Carl Anduri, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Joanne Robbins, City Clerk

